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In re: Kappes *et al.* Confirmation No.: 1101  
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## PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of Three months to respond to the Office Action dated April 5, 2004.

2. Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.

3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):

Total Months Requested	Fee For Other Than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$430.00	\$215.00
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> three months	\$980.00	\$490.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$1,530.00	\$765.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months*	\$2,080.00	\$1,040.00

\*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.

☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted, -

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